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PUBLIC NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR AN EXTENSION OF ITS CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

BY Ashcreek Water Company Ashcreek Water Company has filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") an application for authority for an extension of its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to provide water service. Our records indicate that you are either currently a customer of Ashcreek Water Company or are a property owner in the proposed extension area. If the application is granted, Ashcreek Water Company would be the exclusive provider of water service to the proposed area. Ashcreek Water Company will be required by the Commission to provide this service under the rates and charges and terms and conditions established by the Commission. The granting of the application would not necessarily prohibit an individual from providing service to themselves from individually owned facilities on their property. The application is available for inspection during regular business hours at the offices of the Commission in Phoenix at 1200 West Washington Street/Tucson at 400 West Congress, North Building, Room 218, and at Ashcreek Water Company, 3776 Main St., Thatcher, AZ.

The Commission will hold a hearing on this matter. As a property owner, or customer, you may be entitled to intervene in the proceeding. If you do not want to intervene, you may appear at the hearing and make a statement on your own behalf. You may contact the Commission at the address and telephone number listed below for the date and time of the hearing and for more information on intervention. You may not receive any further notice of the proceeding unless requested by you.

If you have any questions or concerns about this application or have any objections to its approval, or wish to make a statement in support of it, you may contact the Consumer Services Section of the Commission at 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 or call 1-800-222-7000/400 West Congress, North Building, Room 218, Tucson, Arizona 85701 or call 1-800-535-0148].

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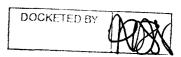
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Request of ASH CREEK WATER COMPANY

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